

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q63036

Hiroshi KAMIYA

Appln. No.: 09/782,017

Group Art Unit: 3625

Confirmation No.: 3808

Examiner: Thein, Maria Teresa T

Filed: February 14, 2001

For:

COMMODITY ORDER ISSUING AND ACCEPTING METHOD, SYSTEM THEREOF,

AND COMMODITY ORDER ACCEPTING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 29, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

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Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | After Amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid For | | | Previously Paid | | | | | | |
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A check for the statutory fee of \$86.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to

Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter U.S. Serial No. 09/782,017

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Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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